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**REPLY AND AMENDMENT**

Honorable Sir:

The following comments and amendments are made in response to the final Office Action mailed on August 20, 2007, in respect of the above-entitled application for patent. Reconsideration of the application for patent in light of this Reply and Amendment is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Specification** are not presented in this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are not presented in this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 17.